GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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ADDITIONAL FUNDS UNDER SGSY
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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government has received requests from various States including Karnataka for allocation of additional funds under Swarnjayanti Gram Swarozgar Yojana (SGSY) during the current financial year,

(b) if so,the State - wise details thereof; and

(c) the action taken by the Government thereon?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (DR. RAGHUVANSH PRASAD SINGH)

(a) to (c): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

Statement as referred to Lok Sabha Starred Question No.20 for answer on 13/02/2009

(a): Swarnjayanti Gram Swarozgar Yojana has received proposals from the State Governments of Kerala, Madhya Pradesh,Nagaland,and Tripura seeking additional funds during the current financial year.However,no such proposal has been received from the Government of Karnataka.

(b): A statement indicating State-wise proposals received seeking additional funds and their eligibility for additional funds during the current financial year is at Annexure-I.

(c): The additional funds sought by the State Governments, for specific districts,are considered subject to the following conditions

(i) Savings in central allocation to the concerned State during the current financial year.

(ii) The concerned district having utilized 75 percent or more of the available funds with the District Rural Development Agency (DRDA),and

(iii) The concerned District Rural Development Agency (DRDA) having received second instalment during the financial year.

The Government has not taken action on these proposals for additional funds at present as the position of savings is not yet confirmed.